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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 10/066,850
Applicant : Ilya AVRUTOV et al.
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Art Unit : 1625
Examiner : ROBINSON, BINTA M.

For: PROCESS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF SUBSTITUTED 2-(2-PYRIDYLMETHYL)
SULFINYL-1H-BENZIMIDAZOLES

Docket No. : 1662/55702
Customer No. : 23838

Commissioner of Patents
P. O. Box 1450
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

S I R:

Applicants respectfully request a two-month extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action dated January 15, 2004. The two-month extended period expires on June 15, 2004.

The Office is authorized to charge the fee in the amount of \$420.00 for the Petition for Extension of Time to Deposit Account No. 11-0600. The Office is further authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any over payments under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

Respectfully submitted,

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